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## 106.09 DOMESTIC MATERIALS

Furnish domestic steel or iron materials for permanent incorporation in the work. Domestic material is material that all manufacturing processes, including coating of steel or iron, occur in the United States. Pig iron, and processed, pelletized and reduced iron ore may be manufactured outside the United States. Furnish the appropriate manufacturer's mill tests and certifications documenting the manufacturing processes, including coatings of covered materials, performed in the United States. A minimal quantity of foreign manufactured steel and iron material may be used if the cost of the material, including delivery costs to the project, does not exceed one-tenth of one percent of the total contract amount or \$2,500.00, whichever is greater.

\_\_\_\_\_Do not incorporate steel or iron materials into the project until Form 406 with all required documentation is furnished. Field inspection of many pre-cast products and prefabricated steel products will take place at the point of manufacture. The District lab, Helena Materials Bureau, or Department representative will inspect the manufacture of these items and collect and maintain supporting documentation. Submittal of a Form 406 is not required when inspection of the fabricated/manufactured product is made at the point of production and documented by the Department. All supporting documentation must be supplied at the point of manufacture.

Submit a request to use a minimal quantity of foreign manufactured steel and iron a minimum of five working days before incorporation into the work. Include in the request the dollar amount of the steel for this request, and the cumulative dollar amount requested to date. Failure to do so will require removal and replacement of all foreign steel and iron with domestic steel and iron. If the foreign steel and iron can not be positively distinguished from any domestic material used, then all of the material must be removed and replaced with domestic steel and iron at the contractor's expense.